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Combined Banks Install New Methods

The First National Bank of Covina and the Covina Valley Savings Bank have issued this week a neat folder, modestly acquainting their many depositors and patrons with a number of recent improvements and additions to their business methods. These changes have become necessary and essential to keep pace with the steady growth of these institutions, which so fully and truthfully represent the prosperity of the valley.

R. M. Philleo, cashier of both banks, states that these improvements affect in no way the former policies of the bank, but deal entirely with business routine. The segregation into nine departments will facilitate the more rapid transaction of business, assuring better service to the customers and enabling the employees of the banks to become specialists in the department to which they are assigned.

For the convenience of the customers each department, "paying and receiving," "bookkeeping," "exchange," "escrow," "savings," and "savings deposit vault," have been designated by neat bronze signs at the various windows. A new and commodious safety deposit vault has been built, equipped with boxes and drawers. The changes have also necessitated the installing of new oak furniture in the various departments.

These banks, which during the past eight years have quadrupled their deposits, until they are now far over one million dollars, are now prepared to handle their business with the same ease and dispatch as the largest banks in the country, with this additional advantage, that no matter how limited a customer's business may be, he can always feel assured that he will receive the same close personal attention as the heaviest depositor.

ENSIGN STEBBINS ARRIVES HOME UNEXPECTEDLY MONDAY

Ensign Robert Stebbins, son of Mrs. W. W. Nash of San Bernardino road, returned to his home in Covina Monday evening very unexpectedly to his old-time friends. He has received his commission as ensign and placed on the naval reserve list. Ensign Stebbins entered the aviation service while a student at the Boston School of Technology. He was later transferred to the naval branch of the service for kite and balloon observation, and has recently been stationed at Rockaway Beach, Mare Island.

Automobile Hit by San Bernardino Flyer

R. L. Jones, driver of a "jitney" car, narrowly escaped death on Monday afternoon when his car was struck by the San Bernardino flyer at the Baldwin Park crossing. Mrs. Charles Lee, the wife of a local groceryman, was in the car at the time. The front of the car was damaged, but both the occupants escaped without injuries.

COVINA LADIES ATTEND FEDERATED CONVENTION

Between thirty-five and forty ladies of the Monday Afternoon Club have arranged to attend the eighteenth annual convention of the Los Angeles district federation of women's clubs, which will be held at Hollywood next week, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The sessions will be held in the Woman's Clubhouse, 7078 Hollywood boulevard. There will be a reception on Monday night, and the annual federation banquet will be held at the Hollywood hotel on Wednesday evening.

Presbyterians Over in Drive for Funds

The drive last Saturday by nine teams of workers from the Presbyterian church was successful quite beyond the highest hopes, not only the outstanding unbonded debt of $2700 being collected in cash, with but a few pledges, but the note for six hundred dollars assumed by the loyal women of the Ladies' Aid being also covered, making a total of $3300 raised in the few hours' work. Only church members and those of the congregation were approached by the workers, and at the annual meeting held last evening (Thursday), following a church supper of the approved chicken variety, great was the joy and thanksgiving over the splendid outlook of the church, which can now, unencumbered by debt, forge forward in the big work of reconstruction and evangelism being undertaken by the religious forces of the world.

Covina Will Welcome Her Returned Men

Covina will officially welcome her returned soldiers and sailors on Tuesday, April 22.

The committee having this happy affair in charge has vetoed at the start all speeches. There will be no after-dinner speeches to mar the occasion. The evening is to be made one round of pleasure for the boys.

The plans are to serve a chicken dinner, with an abundance of pies, to the men, their wives and sweethearts, at the Woman's Club-house at 6:30 p.m. At 8 o'clock the club-house will be thrown open to the general public to meet the men. This will be followed by a rousing program such as men like. The committee is determined that the occasion shall be marked by an entire absence of all dull moments.

The committee asks all discharged soldiers and sailors in the Covina district to enter into the spirit of this occasion and reserve the night of Tuesday, April 22.

All returned soldiers and sailors are requested to register at the offices of the city trustees on Citrus avenue.

Shipway Returns After Three Years in France

Leslie Shipway, who six years ago was the assistant postmaster in the Covina office, and at the time of the outbreak of the European war was a student at Stanford university, returned from the French front last week and was the guest of Covina relatives Friday, Saturday and Sunday. This young man was the first Covina boy to enter the great war. He left California three years ago with the first Stanford ambulance unit. He has seen almost continual service both on the French and Italian fronts. He was at Verdun for three weeks when that city was under continuous bombardment. He left on Sunday for Palo Alto to reenter Stanford. At the time he volunteered his services with the Stanford unit he lacked only three months of completing his course.

Covina's First Soldier Receives Discharge

Jack Clarke, the eldest son of Mrs. Rosa Clarke, is home, having received his discharge. Jack, it will be remembered, was the first Covina man to enlist in the old seventh regiment at the time of the trouble in Mexico. He remained with the regiment, which went from Camp Kearny to France, until November 1 of last year, when he received his promotion as sergeant, and was ordered to report to the intelligence department of the third army corps. Mrs. Clarke's youngest son, Lewis, enlisted in the navy, and has recently been made yeoman of his company of ninety men.

Principals Address Mothers' Meeting

In spite of the threatening weather last Thursday afternoon, the meeting of the "school mothers" was well attended, many visiting the rooms of their children before the program, seeing the actual work of the regular school schedule. The girls of the sixth grade, under the direction of Miss Greene, gave a group of songs which was greatly enjoyed. In the contest for the attendance prize picture, Miss Nigg's room, the sixth, won, with thirteen mothers present, even though the one brave father present was given two counts instead of one for the room he represented.

The plan for the school gardens in the home back yards was presented by Mr. Sterling, principal of the school, with the plea that the children be given the best home backing. It is planned to have a garden exhibit and pageant a little later, when the results of the children's work can be attractively brought to the attention of the public.

Professor Millikan spoke quite fully of the plans and hopes of the new school building, showing clearly not only the need, but the greater possibilities for better work in a new building. At the close of his talk it was unanimously decided to have a school parade upon the day of the bond election, in order that none in the entire district might forget it, since only through neglect or thoughtlessness could the election fail, as all parents feel the necessity of a safe and sanitary building. The various grades are vying with each other in yells and slogans and a "new school" song by the whole aggregation of five hundred children is a probability for election day.

HEALTHY ACTIVITY IN COVINA RANCH AND CITY PROPERTIES

The past week has been marked with activity in the transfer of country and town property in the Covina district. The large majority of the buyers are local people well versed with values.

One of the most important transfers of the past week has been the purchase by the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Lumber Company of the nine-acre tract, fronting on Citrus avenue, known as the Coolman estate. This tract has a long frontage on the tracks of the Southern Pacific railroad and has been purchased by the corporation as a new site for their lumber yard. They expect to get established in their new location during the present month. The price paid for their property was $15,000. One year ago it was purchased for $8,500. W. J. Evans, who recently succeeded Charles D. Griffiths as the company's manager in Covina, states that the lumber yard will occupy two acres of the new purchase, and the company will sell to him the remainder of the tract. He will move immediately to Covina from Azusa and reside upon his new purchase. The entire site is planted to twenty-year-old orange trees.

Fred Von der Lohe has sold his thirty-five acre walnut ranch, lots 132 and 133, E. J. Baldwin fourth subdivision, to R. A. Eikenberry, a local rancher. This property is located south of Arroyo avenue and west of Sunset. Price paid, $36,000.

The "Hurst Ranch" have added to their large walnut holdings in the West Covina district by the purchase of a five-acre tract, thirteen year old walnuts, from W. B. Stokes. This property adjoins the Hurst ranch on the south. Consideration $7500.

J. M. Whitsel, of the firm of Warner-Whitsel Co., grocers, sold this week to J. Wilding, a recent arrival from Texas, five-room residence and lot on Cottage Drive for $1600.

Mrs. Hattie Wine to Sam Scofield, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Scofield, 19 acres of unimproved land adjoining Barranca street. Consideration $9000. This sale was made yesterday afternoon and is the last lot of the 60-acre tract owned by Mrs. Wine. This property was sold through the agency of G. A. Daniels.

Annie M. Colt to Charles Edward Young, three lots and eight-room residence on Dexter street. Consideration $4500.

Dr. Claud W. Searcy, dentist with offices in the First National Bank building, has purchased from Mrs. Thos. Traweek of West Center street, a five-room bungalow on West Center street, lot 18, block 1. Consideration paid, $2600.

Edward M. Levine, who recently sold his ice business, has purchased the ranch and home of R. C. Speer, on Glendora avenue, better known as the Puente boulevard. The property contains sixteen acres, planted to walnuts. Its location makes it a most desirable homesite. Consideration $21,000.

Mrs. Hattie Wine has sold to Robert Walker, a Covina orange grower, twenty-five acres of unimproved land, east of Barranca street, located north of the Walnut wash. Consideration $10,000.

Mrs. Hattie Wine to H. H. Cushman, also a local orange grower, fifteen acres of unimproved land, adjoining the Walker purchase. Price $6000.

Rev. F. B. Cowgill, pastor of the Covina Methodist church, has purchased from Frank J. Kendall of the Covina Meat Market, seven and one-half acres of eleven-year-old oranges, adjoining the R. A. Welch property in the Charter Oak district. The place is planted to Valencias and navels. The balance of the crop not picked is estimated at $4000. Price $17,000.

John Caddell, of the Reliable garage, has purchased the George Leslie residence on West Center and Fourth streets for $3500.

Daniel Schenck, Southern Pacific agent, has purchased of the Bogart estate, five-room house and residence on Cottage Drive. Price, $1300, under forced sale.

"League of Nations" by Dr. Silas Evans

It was a large and interested audience which welcomed Dr. Silas Evans, president of Occidental college, last Friday evening at the high school, to hear directly from an acknowledged authority the practical details of that vitally important document, "The League of Nations Covenant."

Introduced by Principal Ben S. Millikan of the high school, Dr. Evans at once plunged into his topic in a popular, direct fashion, which won instant attention from his audience, the majority of which were men—thoughtful, earnest men, who were evidently anxious to know more clearly the details and possibilities of the plan of international brotherhood.

In a very fair and frank spirit, the speaker took up, one by one, the leading objections to the great, world-wide plan for cooperation, showing the weakness of the arguments and proving by history of great covenants that minor changes and improvements had inevitably been necessary, and that while this first draft was neither perfect either in detail or English, the great principles of liberty, justice and a chance for every nation, were the vital points to be considered, with the certain cessation of war.

In a thoughtful yet popular way Dr. Evans sketched conditions in the world today, showing conclusively that America was in the controversy to stay, and that without her guidance and sanction, this great plan for the world's peace and civilization's advancement was utterly impossible.

At the close of the address the opportunity was given for questions, and at once many showed their keen interest in the subject by asking further enlightenment upon various points touched upon in the discussion.

President Evans was secured through the combined efforts of the civics department of the W. C. T. U. and the high school.

Previous to the address Robert Broadwell delighted the audience with one of his piano solos.

W. C. T. U. MEETING.

Next week Friday the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Covina W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. J. N. Wilson, when the plans for the coming state annual conventions will be discussed and delegates appointed. Following the irregularity of the post-influenza period, the meetings of the organization have not been held upon the old dates, the second and fourth Sundays of each month, and beginning with next week's meeting the union will once more return to the regular days

FATHER OF COVINA WOMEN DIES AT PASADENA HOME

The death occurred in South Pasadena last Thursday evening of Dr. Benjamin Price, father of Miss Mildred Price of the high school faculty and of Mrs. Stella P. Brown. Funeral services were held at his late residence in South Pasadena on Sunday afternoon, and the interment will be at his old home in Iowa City, Iowa. Dr. Price was a native of Ohio. He had been a practicing dentist in Iowa City for nearly forty years, and a resident of California for the past ten years.

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Miss Burke wears some gorgeous frocks and has added many new and charming touches to her work, always full of "Burkeisms," such as the quickly lifted chin and birdlike toss of the head which has endeared her to thousands.

The supporting cast, including Thos. Meighan, William Riley Hatch, Florence Flynn, and others, is worthy of being called "all-star," and does some excellent work in the support of Miss Burke.

Slays Wife and Self on Long Beach Street

Mrs. I. C. Fairly of Cottage Drive received the startling intelligence early Sunday morning of the murder of her niece, Mrs. Gilbert W. Hatfield of Long Beach, by the woman's husband, Saturday evening. Hatfield, an employee of the Los Angeles Shipbuilding Company, then turned the gun on himself with fatal results. It is stated that the man had become angered because his wife had refused to have anything further to do with him. The double tragedy occurred shortly after 6 o'clock on Saturday evening as many people were hurrying homeward from their day's work.

C. J. Davis of Locust avenue told the police that he had noticed the couple coming down the alley between Fourth and Fifth streets and American and Locust avenue. When they reached Fifth street they turned toward Locust avenue. They were talking earnestly and loudly and, after a few steps, the woman broke away from Hatfield's grasp and started to run.

As she did so Hatfield fired at her. She fell to the sidewalk and Hatfield ran to her side and fired again into her prostrate body. Then he turned the revolver on himself and shot himself through the right temple.

An ambulance was called and the two were taken to a hospital, but neither regained consciousness and they died within five minutes after reaching the hospital.

Hatfield was about 45 years old and his wife about 35. They had been married two years, but separated five months ago and a divorce was pending between them. Mrs. Hatfield about two weeks ago went to live with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Scoles, 246 East Fifth street, Long Beach, taking her two children by a former marriage with her. They are a girl of eleven years and a boy of nine. She has been employed lately by a confectionery store. She had complained that Hatfield had been following her home from work the last few evenings and had threatened her several times.

MEN'S COMMUNITY LEAGUE FEASTS ON HOT TAMALES

The Men's Community League is the new name of the organization which holds a monthly supper and program in the basement of the Baptist church. Forty men attended the meeting which was held last Thursday night. The ladies of the church served a hot tamale supper which was relished. Attorney M. M. Ferguson of Los Angeles gave the principal address of the evening on "Seeing Things." It was an entertaining and interesting address. Forrest Manning led the men in the singing of popular choruses which did much to enliven the evening.

A new constitution was adopted and the following new officers were elected: president, J. N. Wilson; vice president, H. L. Healy; secretary-treasurer, A. M. Pence. The president appointed A. R. Taylor chairman of the program committee for the next meeting, and Sam Trout chairman of the attendance committee. The next meeting of the league, which is open for all the men of the community, will be held on the evening of Thursday, April 24.

BAPTISTS WILL INAUGURATE PRE-EASTER SERVICES SUNDAY

At the Baptist church next Sunday morning there will be special exercises to inaugurate the series of pre-Easter services which this church will hold during the next two weeks. A company of twenty-four men will be commissioned to visit, in teams of two, every home of the church constituency, carrying the greetings of the church and calling for a new declaration of allegiance to Christ and of some advance step in Christian service. There will be services in the church every evening excepting Saturday during the two weeks. The pastor, Rev. A. Watson Brown, will be in charge and will preach. There will be special music each evening. It is expected that Rev. W. W. Catherwood, a former pastor, now of Santa Barbara, will be present and preach at one or two services. There is much enthusiastic anticipation for this campaign among the congregation, and all the people of the community are invited to cooperate and enjoy these services.

GENERAL STRONG PLEADS FOR DEVASTATED FRANCE

Major General Frederick S. Strong, commander of the Fortieth division, made up largely of national guard troops and containing three California regiments, returned to Los Angeles a few days ago, and is now at Camp Kearny, where he is aranging for the mustering out of the division. A portion of the division has arrived in New York.

While in Los Angeles General Strong expressed his pleasure at the work being done by the American Committee for Devastated France. Speaking of the extreme need of the people who are slowly coming back to their old homes in the battle areas, General Strong said:

"The money raised in this country for the people of devastated France will be a wonderful asset in the reconstruction plan of that country. Much help is coming forward from the south of France, where the cities have not been visited by the horrors of warfare. All these fine people are helping their countrymen in the north to the best of their ability, but their task is a stupendous one and much help is needed from the committee in charge of French relief work in America.

"What the committees for the relief of devastated France can do at the present time for the quick relief of the situation there is what is going to count."

GOVERNMENT PREPARING FOR FIFTH LIBERTY LOAN

On April 21 the general public will be asked to subscribe for the fifth government war loan, and the local committees, with Dr. J. D. Reed as chairman, are now being organized to put Covina over the top.

It is fairly well determined that the loan will be about the same as the fourth Liberty loan. It will be offered to the public during a selling campaign from April 21 to May 10. Subscribers will probably be given a longer time than heretofore in which to make their payments. The rate of interest and extent of tax exemption will not be announced until shortly before the opening of the campaign.

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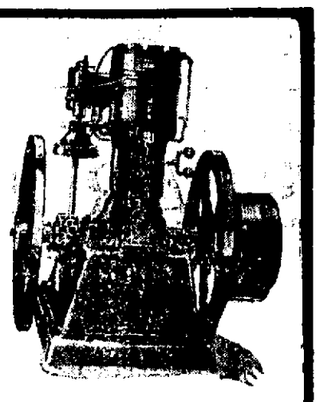

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News of the Valley

IRWINDALE.

There will be an all-day meeting of the Irwindale Miscellany Club next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. H. Simpson on Cypress avenue. It is requested that each member bring with her a hand towel to be contributed to the Home in the city for which this club is working.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius A. Lang of Willow and Pacific streets were saddened this week by the death of the former's sister, Miss Ellen Lang, who passed away at her home in Los Angeles on Sunday evening. Miss Lang was a teacher in the Lincoln school of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Worley had as their guests on Monday and Tuesday, Mrs. Wall and daughter, Lorraine, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall of Orange avenue, Miss Ethel Kendall and Arlie Kendall and Mrs. May Kendall of Azusa will spend Sunday in Venice with Mrs. Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Harris of Vineland avenue entertained on Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Maxson and family, Mrs. Clara Ayers and daughter, Myrtle, and Mr. John Hughes of Taft.

Mrs. Maxfield and son, Chauncey, motored to San Diego last Saturday, returning on Monday.

Miss Phebe L. Brown and Mrs. C. B. Brown of Irwindale avenue will attend the wedding of their cousin, Miss Marian Brown, and Lieutenant John Reith of Woodland, which takes place tomorrow evening. The ceremony will take place at the First Baptist church, followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents on Kenmore avenue.

Mrs. George Meyers of Pasadena was the guest on Friday and Saturday of her cousins, Miss Cora Grafton and Charles A. Grafton, of Vincent avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Kendall are entertaining this week the latter's uncle, Mr. Adam Clarke, of the Soldiers' Home at Sawtelle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rebhan and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. John McInturff of Washington state, spent Sunday with Mrs. Rebhan's brother, F. S. Brooks, at San Jacinto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Woodworth of San Bernardino road spent last Sunday visiting friends in Pasadena.

Mrs. O. M. Baughman returned on Monday from a visit of several days at Sawtelle.

Mr. Dwight Briggs and family moved this week from their former residence on San Bernardino road to the corner of Cypress and Azusa avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Drendel and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Drendel and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart spent Sunday at Redondo.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Flint of Irwindale avenue spent Sunday in Los Angeles with friends.

WEST COVINA.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stimson entertained as house guests over the week-end at Texas rancho Mrs. Anna Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Hennes, Mr. U. G. Bates, Mr. Jerry Albright, Mr. Duncan Poundstone. On Sunday Mrs. Stimson took the party to Laguna Beach, where the day was spent. They visited friends in Rivera on the way home.

Mrs. W. B. Hannah spent a few days this week in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Thomas Robbins of Puente boulevard spent Saturday in Alhambra as the guest of Mrs. W. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Roberts of Los Angeles have been the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Alan A. Roberts of Sunset avenue.

Miss Willie Mae Albright entertained for a few days this week Miss Lillian Rixey of Hollywood and Miss Gladys Howard of Los Angeles.

Mrs. C. Kranz of Arroyo Drive will entertain the Ladies' Aid society of the Lutheran church at an all-day sewing meeting next Thursday. The sewing will be on garments for the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Taylor of Orange avenue entertained on Sunday Reverend and Mrs. Eugene Haines and daughter, Esther, and son, Robert, of Glendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Friend of Los Angeles were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kranz.

Mrs. F. P. Wilson of California street spent Sunday in Alhambra as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. David G. Kinney have as their guests this week Mrs. Claire Norton and her niece, Miss Alice Kinney of Cincinnati. Mr. Clair Norton is with the Y. M. C. A. in Coblenz, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Taschner spent Thursday in Los Angeles with their daughter, Mrs. Jaroch.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Watts of Merced and Puente street spent Sunday in Los Angeles with friends.

The pupils of the Bassett school, assisted by the teachers, Miss Miller and Miss Robinson, entertained their parents and friends with an April Fools' party at the Bassett club-house on Tuesday evening. A mirth-provoking program was given and refreshments of cake and coffee and pop-corn balls were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Graff are the parents of a baby boy born last Saturday.

CHARTER OAK

The meeting of the Charter Oak Thimble Club was held this week at the home of Mrs. W. I. Pinkney. The entire day was spent in sewing for the Belgian refugees and a very considerable increase made to the pile of clothing which the club has ready to be sent. There were eighteen members present and Mrs. Bale of Los Angeles, who was a house guest of Mrs. Pickney and Mrs. Robinson of Charter Oak, were present as guests of the club. Mrs. George Sohn will act as hostess to the next meeting of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mace of Sunflower avenue will entertain today some old eastern friends, Reverend and Mrs. G. W. Goodell, who are making their home in Alhambra.

Mr. and Mrs. William Colver entertained at dinner on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Maxfield of Covina, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Colver, and Seth Colver.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Whitney of Claremont were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dye of Cienega avenue last Sunday.

Mrs. John Smeltzer of Bonita avenue has returned from a short stay in Los Angeles improved in health by the course of treatment which she took there. Mrs. Murphy of Los Angeles was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smeltzer on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Layman had as their guests last Sunday the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carpenter of Los Angeles.

Word has been received by friends of Nolan Morris of his arrival at his home in the east from overseas service a week ago last Sunday.

Mrs. S. W. Funk and daughters, Miss Mabel and Miss Esther Funk, attended the commencement exercises of the Pomona hospital at the Ebell club-house in Pomona last Thursday night. Miss Mildred Jackson, who used to reside in the Charter Oak district, was one of the graduated nurses.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cassel of Ruddock avenue had as their guests Tuesday Mrs. Frederick Bassett and Mr. J. C. Bassett of Aberdeen, South Dakota, and Mrs. A. E. Boyd and Mrs. Webber, also of Aberdeen, who are spending the winter in Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howard of Sunflower avenue are expecting the arrival today of the latter's mother, Mrs. G. M. Jenison of Baltimore, Maryland. Mrs. Jenison will probably make her home in the future in California with her daughter and family.

The Misses Mary and Mildred Hornicker of Covina were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Funk of Grand avenue on Friday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cessel of Ruddock street entertained over Thursday of last week Mrs. Frederick Bassett and Mr. J. C. Bassett of Aberdeen, South Dakota, who are spending the winter in Los Angeles. The party motored to Camp Baldy to spend the day and were dinner guests at Claremont Inn on the way home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Baldwin and family and Mrs. Charles Davis and daughter, Genevieve, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Funk of Cienega avenue.

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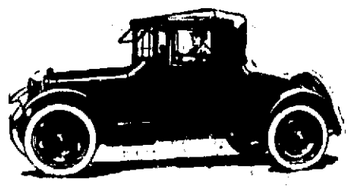

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EDITORIAL

Plea For Salvation Army.

The Salvation Army's appeal for funds for carrying on its home service work should not fail of its purpose. If there is a branch of auxiliary aid that by universal agreement has earned the good will of all Americans in the trying days of the war, that organization is the Salvation Army.

The Salvation Army comes back from the front in France and Italy to center its beneficent energies here in our own cities and towns. The religion of the Salvation Army is distinctly an applied Christianity. It finds the man in need and proceeds to administer to him, be he Protestant, Catholic or Jew.

The Salvation Army lassies were to be found where their help was most needed on the battlefronts of Europe. Neither there or at home have they been charged with looking for easy billets. They have always gone where the human need was greatest.

Covina's allotment of the $275,000 to be raised in Los Angeles county is $500

Two hundred fifty thousand dollars will be spent in the city of Los Angeles in the rection of a home for discharged soldiers and sailors.

The Covina campaign is in charge of the local Elks, who have organized active committees with J. H. Coolman as chairman and Frank Wright as secretary. It is proposed to make today (Friday) Covina's day and everyone should be prepared to sugscribe their mite when called upon by the solicitors.

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Millikan will entertain on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee of Cheyenne, Wyoming. Mr. Lee was a teacher of Mr. Millikan's, and with his wife has been spending the winter in Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rhodes of Bethany, Ill., who have been wintering in Oakland, were guests for several days the first of the week of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kellar on West Cypress avenue. Before their departure for their eastern home on Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Kellar took their guests on several long motor trips throughout the valley, visiting many points of interest.

If you get your pies, cakes, cookies, or homemade biscuits at Landram's Delicatessen, they are good. 1t

Mrs. A. L. Trench and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Los Angeles, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Evans at their home on East Badillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman T. Headley, Mrs. Annette MacCourt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson and little son, Bobbie, of Baldwin Park, and Mr. Chester MacCourt and three children of Pasadena made a party that celebrated the fifth birthday of little Bobbie Simpson with a picnic at Griffith Park on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Nye have as their guest for the week-end the latter's sister, Mrs. R. C. Olmstead of Pasadena, and two children.

Mrs. Roy Phares and daughter, Grace, and son, Wiley, of Pasadena will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Taylor over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilke and little daughter spent Sunday in Long Beach.

Miss Frances Smith, house-guest of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Smith of Navilla Place, is spending the week with Hollywood friends.

Mrs. Carroll Webb of East Badillo street entertained her cousin, Mrs. F. F. Storey of Chicago, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wallace, who for the past year have been making their home with their daughter, Mrs. A. C. Zimmer of the Pomona Hill road, have left to make a visit with their son in Hepner, Oregon. From there they will visit a daughter in Northern Idaho.

Ted Watson, son of Dr. and Mrs. David Watson, is spending his spring vacation with his roommate, Gerald McMullin, at Coronado.

Miss Clair Sanborn, with Miss Ruth Watson and Miss Dorotha Cassel, will attend "The Geisha Girl," sung by Mme. Tamaki Miura, at the Mason operah ouse Saturday afternoon. Miss Sanborn and Mrs. Watson also attended Mme. Miura's production of "Madame Butterfly" Thursday evening.

The meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution on Tuesday of this week was held at the home of Mrs. William Crook of Rowland avenue, Mrs. Crook, Mrs. C. T. Booth and Mrs. W. P. Nye acting as hostesses. The afternoon program was preceded by a dainty luncheon. The subject for the study this year, "Our International Relations," has been one of vital interest, and this afternoon's work finished the program for the year. The Covina capter has the honor of holding the record among the chapters of Southern California as to the time of completion and thoroughness in the study of the topic. Mrs. W. I. Goodfellow gave a review of H. G. Wells' recent book, "In the Fourth Year." Mrs. Nye led in a round-table discussion of the status of the League of Nations. A vote was taken, and of the nineteen members present, nine voted for the covenant as it is now drafted, and ten for a modified form of the covenant. The music for the afternoon was furnished by Mrs. Grant Chapman and Mrs. Franklin Flick. Mrs. Flick sang an original composition set to the music of "My Maryland." Mrs. Chapman's piano solos were by American composers, "Amorette," by MacDowell, and a "Polonaise," by Edgar Stillman Kelley. She also gave a sketch of the life of each composer.

Miss Aura Fitch has become a member of the Covina chapter, transferring her life membership from a chapter in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hassheider and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hassheider will be Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCreary and Miss Ida McCreary in Los Angeles.

Miss Ada Jenks has given up her position with the First National Bank and accepted a position with the Southern Counties Gas Company. Her place in the bank is being filled by her brother, Ben Jenks.

Get a Remington .22 for small game or target shooting—see your hardware dealer. 4-11

Miss Leanta Stafford of Hemet spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Stafford.

The next meeting will be held in May at the home of Mrs. James Elliott, and will be a guests' meeting.

Miss Victoria Reynolds was the guest of friends in Los Angeles over the week-end last week.

Mrs. W. A. Jones of Gladstone and Ben Lomond avenues entertained a few friends informally at luncheon Thursday.

The missionary society of the Christian church held an all-day meeting Thursday in the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Morgan of Chino will be the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Douglass.

Mr. H. A. Stange of Azusa avenue left last week on a business trip to Chicago.

Corporal Alba Hibsch, who returned from France recently with the 55th ammunition train, has resumed his old position with the Argus Publishing Company.

Mrs. Della Arthur and daughters, Mrs. David Bridge and Miss Emogene Arthur, and Miss Mabel White attended the performance of "Madam Butterfly," in which the Japanese prima donna, Tamaki Miura, appeared at the Mason opera house in Los Angeles Thursday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Rice and Mr. and Mrs. William M. Warren were dinner guests at the University Club in Los Angeles on ladies' night last Friday evening.

Roy Winder, Jr., little son of Mr. and and Mrs. Roy Winder, is recovering from a serious sick spell.

You will find peanut butter. Also apple butter in bulk, at Landram's Delicatessen. 1t

Miss Carol Coman, accompanied by her brother, Ellis Coman, left Thursday morning for a two weeks' trip to San Francisco and vicinity, the journey north being made by automobile.

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Mrs. Thomas Gooch of Rivera will be the luncheon guest today of Mrs. L. H. Harris of East Center street.

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Mrs. C. S. Beardsley and Mrs. Ida Ames of East Badillo street were guests at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Thos. Midgley of Los Angeles on Tuesday, the occasion being a reunion of old eastern friends.

Easter baskets at Covina Book Store.

Mrs. Merrill Austin and baby of Exeter is the guest of her mother in Azusa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bisbee had as their guest over the week-end their nephew, Mr. Clifford Falk of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berman and daughter, Miss Gae Berman, were the guests at dinner of Mrs. Fannie Hale of Pomona on Tuesday evening, the dinner being in honor of Mrs. D. R. Moore of Southaven, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Archer and son, William Archer, of Tuolumne, were guests on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bisbee.

A few cars of cotton-seed fed steer manure. P. W. Tully. Call 402.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter and family of West Badillo street spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lockwood of Puente.

Reverend and Mrs. George Chemberlen of Vincent street entertained at dinner on Sunday in honor of the fourth birthday of their little grandson, Clifford Riddlebarger. A birthday cake with four candles was a feature of the dinner. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Riddlebarger, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chemberlen, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith, and the four little cousins, Clifford and Clayton Riddlebarger and Lowell and Haydon Chemberlen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Black of Compton were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. E. R. Black on Ruddock street.

Mr. Arthur Jenner, who has recently been discharged from service, has accepted a position as secretary in the purchasing department in the offices of the Salt Lake railroad in Los Angeles.

Easter engraving. Covina Book Store.

DeWitt Dormer left this week for Corvallis, Oregon, where he will complete the year's work at the Oregon state agricultural college. Mr. Dormer spent the first half of the year there as a member of the S. A. T. C., and after his discharge from the service was called home by his father's health.

Mrs. John Sprowl and daughter, Margaret, and son, Jack, and Dr. and Mrs. Keeler and daughter of Los Angeles were guests on Sunday of Mrs. E. R. Black at her home on Ruddock street.

J. E. Streighty, grand patriarch of California I. O. O. F. Encampments, will be at Covina Monday night, April 7th, to visit Covina Encampment No. 102. Every camp member is urged to be present to greet our grand officer. S. L. Spencer, scribe.

Mr. and Mrs. David Myers of Compton were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harnish of West Center street.

Easter pictures. Covina Book Store.

Mrs. S. M. Goodwin visited her daughter, Mrs. Robert Goodson, in Fullerton last week. Mrs. Goodson returned with her for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gail of Riverside have been guests a few days this week of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gail and family of Navilla Place. Mr. and Mrs. Gail also entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Babcock of Riverside on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gerhart visited former Montana friends at the Rex Arms, and their daughters, Mrs. Lowell Krigbaum and Miss George Gerhart, at the La Salle, on Sunday.

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Mrs. Roy Hutchinson of Greenfield, Cal., who will be remembered by old friends as Miss Bessie Shipway, and her brother, Roy Shipway, are guests of Miss Fannie Davis and her sisters and of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Griswold and family.

Easter stationery. Covina Book Store.

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Mrs. E. E. Kirtlan and Mrs. E. V. Rice, as representatives of the women's missionary societies of the Presbyterian church, attended the meeting of the conference of officers of the missionary societies of the Los Angeles presbytery held at Emmanuel church in Los Angeles last Monday.

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Mrs. Henry Phillips and daughter, Betty, of East Badillo street, will entertain at luncheon on Saturday Mrs. William Caldwell and daughter, Betty, Mrs. Tarty and Mrs. Clyde Cummings of Los Angeles.

The Baptist missionary society was entertained at luncheon at the home of Mrs. G. W. Mitchell Thursday. The afternoon was spent in the regular missionary study.

Miss Anita Speer was a guest for a couple of days this week of Miss Daisy Kratka at the Hotel Alexandria. The young ladies attended the matinee production of the "Geisha Girl," sung by Mme. Tamaki Miura, Wednesday.

Bunnies for baby. Covina Book Store.

Miss Constance Ricketts attended the junior charity ball at the Hotel Maryland Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Herbert E. Millikan of East Badillo street will entertain the ladies of the Covina-Glendora Bridge Club on Saturday.

Mrs. Dora Higbee of Los Angeles will be a guest for a week or more of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Leighton on West Badillo street.

The Easter Season

of a year ago, with its dark war clouds hanging over the world; the uncertainties of the future; the absence of our boys at the front, and many other tragic events of that time, made it a season of sadness rather than joy.

Today, with a world peace declared, the anxiety and suspense of a year ago dissipated; a bond of sympathy and human understanding established among the great nations; a different Easter season is upon us. A season of gladness and cheer which all will wish to commemorate with appropriate remembrances.

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Mrs. J. E. Ricketts entertained at luncheon Thursday at her home on W. Center street. Eight covers were laid for St. Paul ladies, all of whom are wintering in Southern California.

Miss Mildred Bleecker of Sierra Madre is spending the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Searcy.

Mrs. David Watson and Miss Clair Sanborn attended the Philharmonic number of Louie Grageure, the Belgian baritone, Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Goetze, Mrs. Edna Andreas of Ontario and Mrs. E. H. Walters spent Tuesday with a sister and niece of the former in Hollywood.

I have a number of cars of cotton-seed holes. Call 402, Covina.

The young women's missionary society of the Methodist church and their friends will enjoy a supper in the church parlors Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Talbert of Monrovia were guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speer and family.

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church will hold a "welcoming home" party in the church parlors on Friday evening, April 11, at 8 o'clock, in honor of the men whose names are on the Epworth League honor roll. A cordial invitation is extended to the genral public to attend.

Easter cards. Covina Book Store.

Mrs. C. W. Searcy and her brother, Mr. Sam Scofield, spent Wednesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Cole, in Huntington Beach. Mr. and Mrs. Cole returned home with them for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Scofield.

Mr. C. M. Staub and Miss Ruth Staub of Los Angeles will be guests over the week-end of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Kirtlan at their home on Ruddock street.

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Miss Crystal Gates of the high school faculty returned on Wednesday from San Diego, where she was called last week by the death of her brother-in-law, Rev. O. Oleson.

Rev. W. W. Catherwood of Santa Barbara, formerly pastor of the Baptist church of Covina, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Custer last Friday.

Mrs. George L. Jenks of West Badillo street will undergo an operation at the Good Samaritan hospital Saturday. Dr. Lobinger of Los Angeles will operate.

Miss Eloise Eckles of Los Angeles was the week-end guest last week at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. S. Eckles, of West Center street.

The Berean Needle Club met with Mrs. A. E. Harnish of West Badillo street Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was devoted to making aprons for the children of the David and Margaret Home. The hostess served ice cream and cake at the close of a most pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. J. L. Matthews, president of the Monday Afternoon Club, with Mrs. F. Berman, attended the reciprocity day of the California Badger Club, Los Angeles, Wednesday afternoon.

The death occurred in Los Angeles on Tuesday, at her residence on Douglas street, of Mrs. Mary Russell, the only sister of R. A. Welch of this city. The deceased had been a patient sufferer for over five years. The interment occurred at Alhambra yesterday. The deceased leaves two daughters and one son. The latter is in overseas service with the Rainbow division.

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Clyde Custer, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Custer, was at home over Sunday and Monday. The glee club of Redlands college, of which Mr. Custer is a member, has just concluded a two-week tour through the northern part of the state, during which they gave fourteen concerts.

At "Mountain View," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berman, on next Saturday, at 11 a. m., the Rev. C. H. Edwards, of Ontario, will preach for the Seventh Day Adventists. Mrs. J. L. Matthews will sing Jerome's "Rock of Ages."

Sergeant Clarence Teeter, who returned from France with the members of the 55th ammunition train, was visiting old-time friends in Covina Wednesday. Mr. Teeter has associated himself with his cousin in the automobile business in Alhambra, where they have a large territory for the Overland cars and Republic trucks.

Mrs. Charles D. Griffiths and Mrs. J. H. Akard of Azusa entertained the Matrons' Association of 1917 at luncheon at the home of the latter in Azusa Saturday.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet on Thursday, April 10th, at the home of Mrs. F. A. Roberts on Double avenue. Mrs. Dora Shearer will have charge of the afternoon program.

Mrs. Ben S. Millikan is expecting her mother, Mrs. M. Lamberty of Glendale, on Saturday for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haley of 263 Cottage Drive entertained Wednesday and Thursday Mrs. John Eberly of Stanton, Nebraska. On Thursday the Haleys and their guest and Mrs. Scherer were luncheon guests of relatives in Los Angeles.

S. M. Goodwin and son, Harry Goodwin, are making a business trip to Hollister and San Joaquin this week. During their absence Mrs. Harry Goodwin and children are visiting Mrs. S. M. Goodwin on Orange street.

Mr. James Althouse of Porterville was a guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haley.

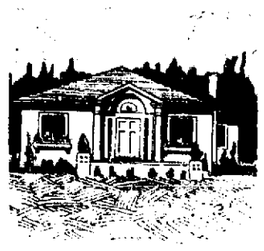
Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Gillett were members of a birthday dinner party given in honor of the latter's father, Mr W. D. Mericked, in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schroeppel of Long Beach were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harnish on West Badillo street.

Ned Harnish, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harnish of Hollenbeck street, has been seriously ill this week and under a doctor's care.

Dr. George Jennings entertained at dinner one evening this week the brain specialist, Dr. Allen, of Los Angeles.

Mrs. W. B. Marshall and her children are guests of her sister, Mrs. George E. Kellar. The Marshalls are moving from Graham to Lancaster, and Mrs. Marshall will remain in Covina until the new home is ready.



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LOCAL MEN INTERESTED IN MILLION DOLLAR WATER PROJECT

During the latter part of January, S. W. Funk took a trip to San Simon, Arizona, with a view of putting down an artesian well on land purchased from the state, and moving out for the benefit of his son's asthma.

This is an extensive valley in eastern Arizona, on the main line of the Southern Pacific, consisting of over 300,000 acres of rich, level and uniform limestone soil, laying at an elevation of 3600 to 4000 feet, surrounded by mountains with a range on the south of about 10,000 feet, namely the Chiricihua range.

The climate in this valley is slightly colder in winter and a little cooler in summer than in Southern California. They have a rainfall during July and August of about 6 inches, with two or three times this much in the mountains. Mr. Funk had been figuring on a plan of catching this flood water for irrigation, which would also protect the valley below from washing after being being cleared.

A few years ago the federal government had surveyed the entire valley and printed a map giving the elevation about every mile apart, which was shown by lines drawn from the southeast to the northwest. Mr. Funk had gone over much of the valley on horseback and automobile and had filed on flood water along the mountains, which he now proposes to turn back to the state if they put the project through which he has proposed.

His plan is to build a canal about 50 feet wide and 12 feet deep, including the banks on the 3900 foot elevation, which would be on a level and act as an equalizing canal for the flood waters no matter from what part of the mountains the water should come. The canal would be about 30 miles long, but would catch the water from the mountains for about 30 miles, and would have its eastern extremity crossing the San Simon cienega, which is an underground river. This underground river is confined at this point between the New Mexico and Arizona mountains in a valley about 10 miles wide, and it appears that the force of the underground flow is so great that it bursts up and brings up blind fish, showing that there must be an open cavity beneath some place. It is 40 feet deep to the clay bottom where it bursts up, but sharply becomes deeper in either direction.

The plan is to dredge across the cienega at this point (which is about half a mile wide) down to the clay bottom and let it flow into the canal, but when a large amount of water would be required in the spring before the rains come, for six weeks or two months, a large pumping plant would be installed to pump from the underground river into the canal, the head concrete gate being closed while pumping. The canal would be supposed to carry about nine feet of water. The force of the water in a large canal like this would carry it through the canal, as it would seek its level. They perhaps will not undertake to cover more than about 100,000 acres in the beginning with the irrigating project.

This is a very productive valley and all kinds of farming products and deciduous fruits do exceptionally well. The table grape and Thompson seedless are being planted extensively and it will soon be a very extensive grape country.

Mr. Funk and Mr. Bravender of Baldwin Park, who is manager of the Golden State Portland Cement Co., and has been with Mr. Funk on most of his trips, at one time went to Phoenix and took their irrigating project before the legislators of Cochise county, as they were in session at that time. The latter became interested and had a bill written up providing for an investigation of the project by the state irrigating engineer and the board of supervisors and the state experimental station. The house and senate passed the bill and the governor has signed it and it will become a law the 13th of June.

The representative who wrote up the bill has written Mr. Funk to come down in June and go with the committee in the investigation.

The legislature has provided $10,000 for the investigation and $15,000 to put down a deep artesian test well in the valley, perhaps along the proposed line of the canal. There are now over 200 artesian flowing wells in the valley, but the depest of any at present are some small wells 1000 feet deep. The first flow is about 500 feet, and the surface water is about 75 feet, but it is thought there might be still larger flows deeper.

The state engineer and board of supervisors are quite familiar with the valley, and they are favorably impressed with the project and its possibilities, and it is quite likely that they will report favorably and make recommendations to the governor for its early construction, in which case a special session of the legislature will be called. The project will cost from one to one and one-half million dollars. There will be about 300 miles of pipe lines in connection with the project, carrying the water down to the railway every half mile apart. The federal government engineers were to be at San Simon on the 27th to go over the project also, since there is a $100,000,000 reclamation bill now before congress for Arizona.

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Mile upon mile of the countryside, once fertile, is torn and turned upside down by shells. The orchards have been systematically levelled with Hun axes. The cattle and poultry long since have disappeared. The farm villages have been pounded to powder by four years of hellish gunfire—and still the humble citizen of France creeps back, to uncover his old hearthstone, and to once more resume his place as the foundation and hope of the French nation.

They have nothing. Hundreds of them, the very old and the young, are returning with but a few things that they can carry in bundles. They need everything.

Seed for the gardens and fields must be had. The homes must be supplied with ordinary comforts. The country must be restocked with milch cattle, with chickens and rabbits and pigs. The French government can do but little and the task is huge and appalling.

THE AMERICAN COMMITTEE FOR DEVASTATED FRANCE is headed by Myron T. Herrick, former Ambassador to France, and one time governor of Ohio. He is asking you to help. The funds are being spent by Miss Anne Morgan and her committee in France. She is maintaining hospitals for maternity cases and for children, and she is assisting in the repatriation of these dauntless people.

The French government has asked her to assume the administration of the DEPARTMENT OF THE AISNE, immortal locality of beleagured Soissons. She is now working there. WILL YOU HELP?

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Local Drive Begins Monday, April 10

BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS.

In these days of Bolshevism and menacing lawlessness it is well to ponder the words of Benjamin Franklin. "A bible and a newspaper in every house, a good school in every district, all studied and appreciated as they merit, are the principal support of virtue, morality and civil liberty." The study for this week is the short letter to Philemon and the opening chapters of Hebrews.

Friday: Read today the letter to Philemon. Notice it is merely a personal note but it abounds in illuminating sidelights on Paul's character and on the spirit of Christian fraternity. Onesimus, a slave from Asia Minor, has run away from his master, Philemon, and gone to Rome. There he is converted by Paul. Paul sends him back to his master with this letter. The gist of the letter is in the 16th verse. Notice the change from "servant" to "brother." That is the death knell to every form of slavery and the promise of universal brotherhood.

Saturday: Begin today the wonderful epistle to the Hebrews. Read 1:1-3. Try to appreciate the picture of Christ there given. Enumerate the various titles, works and excellencies here ascribed to him.

Sunday: Christ's superiority over angels, is the consideration in 1:4-14. What scriptures are quoted to prove this? In what respects is He superior? 5, 6, 8, 13. Men were then beginning to worship angels more than Christ. Are men prone today to place anything or anyone before Christ? Read again verse 3.

Monday: Read thoughtfully 2:1-4. Is it easy to "let slip" spiritual impressions? Do you think that constant bible study helps us "to give the more earnest heed? How is the gospel confirmed? Do you have anything to do in confirming it to the world?

Tuesday: Christ, the supreme man, is the theme of 2:5-18. What Psalm is quoted? By sharing what experience does Christ become a representative man? 9, 10, 14. Why did he identify himself with humanity? 17-18. How was he perfected? How then ought we to consider suffering?

Wednesday: Christ, superior to Moses, is the theme of the third chapter. Read 1-6. Find one similarity between Christ and Moses and two differences. What is the difference between the Old and the New Testaments?

Thursday: Read 3:6-19. Against what is this a warning? Why is unbelief so earnestly to be guarded against? Find the similar words in verses 6 and 14. What does belief do for us? 14. What things do you find from experience strengthens your confidence and hope?

METHODIST LADIES SERVE CAFETERIA SUPPER

The cafeteria supper by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church on Tuesday evening was well patronized. The entertainment in the church auditorium at 8 o'clock was one of the best afforded in a long time. The first item on the program was the presentation to the church of two beautiful flags, each eight by twelve feet in size, four officers of the Aid society, Mmes. Ross, Coons, Warner and Froggatt bearing the outspread banner down the aisle of the church, while Mrs. Chew played "The Star-Spangled Banner." The people applauded the appearance of the flags and remained standing while Mrs. Ross made the presentation address. The pastor acknowledged with thanks the presentation. These flags will take the place of those which were burned in the old church.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rasmus, dramatic readers, presented enjoyable impersonations. Individual recitations by Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus were followed by a dramatization of a little war story written by Mrs. Rasmus, a powerful appeal to patriotism, often presented during the last year in the soldiers' camps.

The lecture on birds, illustrated by impromptu drawings and impersonations of bird songs, by Mr. Charles Bowman Hutchins, surpassed in interest all expectations. Accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Rasmus, Mr. Hutchins rendered many popular songs as he said the birds would sing them, the most moving one of all being "Home Sweet Home," which he said he could not use often in the camps on account of the emotion it created.

NOTICE.

Members of the Covina Country Club are advised that the polls will be open at the club-house on Monday, April 7th, 1919, from 4 to 8 o'clock p.m., for the election of a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year.

J. C. HUTCHINSON, Jr.,
Secretary.

Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders of Hollenbeck Street Water Company.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that in pursuance of a resolution and order of the Board of Directors of the Hollenbeck Street Water Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of California, unanimously adopted at a meeting of said board duly held on the 17th day of March, 1919, a special meeting of the stockholders of said corporation is hereby called for and will be held at the pump-house of said corporation, on Hollenbeck street, in the town of Covina, Los Angeles county, California, (said place of meeting being at the principal place of business of said corporation and at the building where its board of directors usually meets), on Monday, the second day of June, 1919, at one o'clock p.m. of said day, for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposition of increasing the capital stock of said corporation from twenty-five thousand dollars divided into two hundred and fifty (250) shares of the par value of one hundred dollars ($100.00) each, to thirty thousand dollars ($30,000.00) divided into three hundred (300) shares of the par value of one hundred dollars ($100.00) each. The amount to which it is proposed to increase said capital stock is thirty thousand dollars ($30,000.00).

By order of the Board of Directors.
S. DOUGLAS,
Secretary of Hollenbeck Street Water Company.
Dated March 28, 1919. 3-28,5-30

Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders of Covina Citrus Association.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the call of the president of said corporation, a special meeting of the stockholders of the COVINA CITRUS ASSOCIATION will be held at the office of said corporation at its packing-house in the city of Covina, Los Angeles county, California, on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of April, 1919, at ten o'clock a.m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposition to dispose of its present packing house, and to construct for its use a new packing house with modern equipment and appliances, and to consider and determine upon a plan to provide the necessary funds therefor, and to transact all other business properly pertaining thereto.

W. W. BENNETT,
Secretary of
Covina Citrus Association.
Dated March 31, 1919.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Covina Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the fifth day of March, 1919, an assessment (No. 84) of 100 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1886) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 7th day of April, 1919, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 29th of April, 1919, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. EDWARDS, Secretary.
Covina, California, March 5, 1919.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

No. 40884.

Estate of GEORGE W. VAN VLIET, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of George W. Van Vliet, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at the office of Messrs. Gail, Pence & Gail, rooms 5, 7 and 8, Reed building, City of Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated March 14th, 1919.

BRILLA W. VAN VLIET,
Administratrix of the Estate of George W. Van Vliet, deceased.
Gail, Pence & Gail, Attorneys for said Administratrix.

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Chambers of Commerce Meet at West Covina

Honorable A. F. Garford, one of the leading manufacturers of Cleveland, president of the Garford Truck Company, and patentee of the Garford bicycle seat, with which eighty per cent of all bicycles sold in the United States are equipped, was the principal speaker before the assembled men of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the San Gabriel valley Tuesday night in the West Covina club-house. There were over two hundred men present from seventeen towns and cities of this portion of the county, large numbers being in attendance from Covina, Puente, and Baldwin Park.

The ladies of the West Covina Parent-Teachers' Association served the banquet, a feature of which was the individual chicken pies. The J. F. McVey "Howdy" band of colored entertainers furnished splendid music during the dinner. Mr. C. C. Palmerston warmly welcomed the visitors and guests on behalf of the West Covina chamber of commerce.

The audience was well pleased with an impromptu and practical address by Supervisor Cogswell on the proposed good road program by the state under a proposed new bond issue of $40,000,000. He stated that Southern California would be better cared for than had been the case in either of the other two bond issues. The announcement that the San Gabriel canyon road would be built jointly by the national and county funds at an early date elicited applause. The Hon. William Johnstone of San Dimas also spoke.

Mr. Garford, who is spending the winter in Southern California, as is his custom, aroused the audience to the highest pitch of enthusiasm through his forceful oratory. He made an appeal for fair play on the part of the administration to the returning soldiers. He said the boys had responded willingly to the call of the government and it was now the duty of the administration to live up to their promise that they should find a job waiting for them upon their return. There are 260,000 idle wage-earners today in Cleveland alone, said the speaker, and all because no provision had been made by the government to provide employment to the industrial workers while the factories are adjusting themselves to peace conditions. Factories had been mobilized for war work, but they were thrown ruthlessly upon their own resources within a week after the signing of the armistice through the cancellation of all contracts. The federal, state and county governments must provide employment through public works or want and starvation will be the lot of hundreds of thousands throughout the industrial centers of America.

The members of the associated chambers are grateful to the directorate of the West Covina chamber of commerce and the ladies of the Parent-Teachers' Association for one of the best gatherings throughout that has been given this year for this body.

The officers and directors of the West Covina chamber of commerce are:

C. J. Hurst, president; W. S. Sawyer, vice-president; R. T. Lang, secretary; C. C. Palmerston, E. T. Coffman, B. F. Maxson, Robert Neely.

Famous Lemon Rancho Placed on Market

What will undoubtedly be a sensation to all owners of citrus property in Southern California is the announcement this week that the famous Leffingwell rancho, of Whittier, is to be sold at once in small acreage lots. C. W. Leffingwell, Sr. and his son of the same name, owners of the property, amounting to 375 acres, have put the same into the hands of Edwin G. Hart, who will superintend the big realty deal. Mr. Hart is the man who made citrus fame for himself in the planting and selling of the North Whittier Heights citrus property.

The Leffingwell rancho is probably the most famous lemon grove in the world. It is very highly improved property, some of the trees being twenty-two years old. It is in the celebrated Whittier citrus district, the groves of which for productiveness and quality of fruit are not excelled in the state. Each parcel of land sold will carry with it stock in the Leffingwell Citrus Association, giving the owner the right to pack and market his fruit under the exclusive Leffingwell brands, a guarantee of the highest market price for the fruit. As Hart is under contract to dispose of the major portion of this property in a limited period early buyers will have the opportunity of purchasing small tracts at the wholesale price.

Further announcements will be made of the subdivision sale, which is to begin on Saturday, April 12. It is planned to sell in lots of five acres and upwards. New maps and plats have been prepared, with the streets indicated, and are obtainable at Mr. Hart's offices, 729-31 Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.

The Argus leads in liner advertising and in results obtained thereby. Circulation does it.

High School Items

Last Saturday the company of cadets from Covina high school took first place in the competitive military drill at Occidental college. All the schools in the Central league took part. Some of the schools have had military training for several years, and all of them had more than Covina. For this reason it was a remarkable feat for Covina to win. None were more surprised than the Covina boys themselves when they were announced as the winners of the drill. The privates and officers all drilled very much better than they ever had before, but Captain Sherman Taschner won the day for Covina. By his quick head-work and accurate reasoning he put the company through the required movements with less commands than the other captains could do, and this is what caused Covina to win.

Basketball and track are now over and baseball is commencing. The basketball team did fine work this year and gave Glendale a "hot run for its money." Covina did not do much in track. The practicing was too often interrupted, and practice is the essential feature of making a good track team. Only one point was made by the Covina track team in competition with other schools, and that was made Saturday afternoon at the track meet which followed the drill. Citrus won the track meet.

Girls' basketball is starting now and the girls are going to give a rally and short entertainment to create interest. The date of the rally has not been set.

The school was saddened last week to hear of the death of Miss Price's father of South Pasadena. At the same time Miss Gates was called to San Diego because of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Olson. We all wish to extend our deepest sympathies to our teachers in their hour of trouble.

Thursday afternoon a tryout was held to see who of the junior and senior classes should take part in the junior-senior play. Those trying out gave short speeches or acted out certain characters in short sketches.

Thursday was also camera day, and everyone came to school ready to get "shot" if the camera lens didn't break first.

Last night the students had a big rally and parade to create interest in the debates with Citrus which are to be given tonight. The debaters tonight are Joseph Newlan and Carroll Nye, who will debate at Covina, and Harold Nigg and Irving Anderson, who will debate at Citrus. The question is, "Resolved, that federal government should own and control all railroads doing an interstate commerce."

Mr. James E. Walton, state superintendent of the Anti-Cigaret League, spoke to the students Wednesday morning upon the harmfulness of the cigaret habit.

Mrs. Reed, an expert sent out by the Royal Baking Powder Company, gave a very scientific and practical demonstration of baking powders on Wednesday and Thursday before the girls of the grades and the high school as well as some outside ladies. The girls of Miss Elliott's cooking class entertained Mrs. Reed at luncheon on Wednesday.

W. LEIGHTON, '19.

No. 40147.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Order to Show Cause on Petition to Mortgage.

In the matter of the estate of MARY E. BOHANNAN, deceased.

It is ordered by the Court that all persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Bohannan, do appear before the Superior Court of Los Angeles county, State of California, in Department 2 thereof, on the 30th day of April, 1919, at 10 o'clock a.m., then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the real estate described should not be mortgaged for the sum of $5,000.00 as prayed for in the petition of W. R. Powell, Executor of the last Will and Testament of said Mary E. Bohannan, deceased, this day filed, or such lesser amount as to the Court shall seem meet. Reference is made to said petition for further particulars. Said real estate is described as follows, to-wit:

The north twelve and thirty-nine hundredths (12.39) acres of that part of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven (11), township one (1) south, range ten (10) west, S. B. M., in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of said northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of said section; thence east twenty-five (25) rods; thence south eighty (80) rods; thence west twenty-five (25) rods; thence north eighty (80) rods to the place of beginning, excepting any portion included in the road.

And that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in said County of Los Angeles.

Dated March 27th, 1919.

JOHN M. YORK,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Gail, Pence & Gail,
Attorneys for Executor.

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SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Covina City School District of Los Angeles County, California, that, in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the

14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1919,

at the Reed School in said district, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. (during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open), at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said district to the amount of one hundred fifty thousand dollars, for the purpose of raising money for purchasing school lots, for building or purchasing one or more school buildings, or making alterations or additions to any school building or buildings, for insuring school buildings, for supplying school buildings with furniture or necessary apparatus, and for improving school grounds, will be voted upon.

The said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold shall be of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be numbered from 1 to 150 consecutively, payable as follows, towit:

Bonds Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, each one thousand dollars, to run one year;
Bonds Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, each one thousand dollars, to run 2 years;
Bonds Nos. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, each one thousand dollars, to run 3 years;
Bonds Nos. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, each one thousand dollars, to run 4 years;
Bonds, Nos. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, each one thousand dollars, to run 5 years;
Bonds Nos. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, each one thousand dollars, to run 6 years;
Bonds Nos. 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, each one thousand dollars, to run 7 years;
Bonds Nos. 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, each one thousand dollars, to runs 8 years;
Bonds Nos. 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, each one thousand dollars, to run 9 years;
Bonds Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, each one thousand dollars, to run 10 years;
Bonds Nos. 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, each one thousand dollars, to run 11 years;
Bonds Nos. 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, each one thousand dollars, to run 12 years;
Bonds Nos. 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, each one thousand dollars, to run 13 years;
Bonds Nos. 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, each one thousand dollars, to run 14 years;
Bonds Nos. 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, each one thousand dollars, to run 15 years;
Bonds Nos. 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, each one thousand dollars, to run 16 years;
Bonds Nos. 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, each one thousand dollars, to run 17 years;
Bonds Nos. 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, each one thousand dollars, to run 18 years;
Bonds Nos. 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, each one thousand dollars, to run 19 years;
Bonds Nos. 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, each one thousand dollars, to run 20 years;
Bonds Nos. 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, each one thousand dollars to run 21 years;
Bonds Nos. 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, each one thousand dollars, to run 22 years;
Bonds Nos. 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, each one thousand dollars, to run 23 years;
Bonds Nos 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, each one thousand dollars, to run 24 years;
Bonds Nos. 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, each one thousand dollars, to run 25 years;
Bonds Nos. 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, each one thousand dollars, to run 26 years;
Bonds Nos. 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, each one thousand dollars, to run 27 years;
Bonds Nos. 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, each one thousand dollars, to run 28 years;
Bonds Nos. 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, each one thousand dollars, to run 29 years;
Bonds Nos. 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, each one thousand dollars, to run 30 years.

That C. S. Beardsley will act as Inspector, and Geo. B. Scofield and J. H. Simpson will act as the Judges of said election, and conduct the same, said Inspector and Judges being competent and qualified electors of said school district.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 18th day of March, 1919.

GEO. F. CHEMBERLEN,
A. NIGG,
W. W. NASH,
Trustees of said School District, Los Angeles County, California.

3-20,27; 4-3,10

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of La Grande Source Water Company will be held at Room 7, Reed Block, in the City of Covina, Los Angeles County, California, on Monday, the seventh day of April, A. D. 1919, at three o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

GEO. E. CROSS,
Secretary.

Dated March 21, 1919. 3-21,28;4-4

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FOR SALE—Nursery stock, selected buds, Valencias, navels and lemons; 2 years old and up; size ⅝ to 1½ inches. The kind to replant with. Prices from 60c to 85c. Loose roots. Guaranteed to live or will replace. E. H. Matney, 249 West Third St., Azusa. Phone 594. tf

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FOR SALE—If ever there was an opportunity for real bargains it is the present. We have listed a few attractive groves, well worth the price asked. Come in and see us. Covina Realty Co.

FOR SALE—Two houses and lots, Third and Cottage Drive. Close price for quick sale. See owner, 253 West Dexter street. tf

FOR SALE—A team of horses and harness. Weigh 2500. Reason for selling, I have bought a tractor. Phone 21" 1tp

FOR SALE—At my ranch on Puente street, Bain wagon, almost new, $100. Write Cora A. McKirahan, Box A. Monrovia, Cal. tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Dwelling now occupied by me, 220 Cottage Drive. Phone 550. R. T. Chew. 1t

FOR SALE—TREES—Seedbed and nursery, also sweet potato plants. P. E. Zug, phone Glendora 101. tf

FOR SALE—Clean Lady Washington seed beans. E. F. Siegmund, Vineland Ave., Baldwin Park. tf

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FOR SALE—Ancona eggs for setting. $1.50 for 15. Phone Covina 324. 4-28p

FOR SALE—A used Dodge Brothers touring car. A. V. Herr. Residence phone Azusa 605. 1t

FOR SALE—A number of cars of steer and horse manure from Imperial Valley. Phone 402.

FOR SALE—One pen of Japanese game chickens—cock, three hens and four pullets, $50. This pen produced the blue-ribbon birds in the last poultry show. Can be seen at Keeney Ranch Sunday. 1t

FOR SALE—Moline tractor suitable for field work. Used 31 days, price $600, one-half actual value. Also double disc plow. Keeney Ranch. 1t

FOR SALE—Imperial valley horse and steer manure; dried, no trash or shavings. P. W. Tully, phone 402.

FOR SALE—One bay mare, 6 years old. Weighs about 1600 lbs. H. H. Church, phone 702. 4-4

FOR SALE—Wood. Phone Puente 13. tf

FOR SALE—Ice box, good as new. Price $15. Tel. 739. 22 E. Badillo St. 1tp

FOR SALE—Country Club Overland, practically new. Apply Argus office. 1t

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WANTED—Highest prices paid for all kinds of poultry and rabbits. Drop a card to P. R. Jones, Pomona, or phone Pomona 2115. tf

WANTED—2600 pound team of orchard horses, wagon and harness, disc harrow, disc plow, and cultivator. E. K. Freeman, Baldwin Park. Box 102. 1tp

WANTED — Three-room furnished house. Responsible party. No children. Address Covina Argus. 1tp

WANTED—at once, a woman to help with chamber work, about three hours each morning. Hotel Covina, phone 197.

WANTED—To rent seven-room house or to buy small ranch. Phone 610.

FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—Valencia trees for Ford runabout. Must be in good condition. E. H. Matney, 249 West 3rd St., Azusa. Phone 594. tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Pair of mules, gentle. Phone 666. 1tp

Private Arthur E. Bixby, son of Mr. J. D. Bixby, Sr., a member of company 316 of the 91st division, sailed from France for home yesterday. Mr. Bixby has been very ill in the hospital for five weeks, but had recovered sufficiently to make the trip home.

GOD'S LOVE.

Never—once—since the world began
Has the sun ever once stopped shining.
His face very often we could not see,
And we grumbled at Him for inconstancy;
But the clouds were really to blame, not He,
For, behind them, He was shining.

And so—behind life's darkest clouds,
God's love is always shining.
We vail it at times with our faithless fears,
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Church News

Methodist Episcopal Church: College street near Citrus avenue. Frank B. Cowgill, pastor. E. T. Chew, Sunday-school superintendent. B. L. Easton, chorister. Mrs. R. T Chew, pianist. Sunday-school at 9:45 a.m., followed by morning worship at 11. Epworth League at 6:45 p.m., followed by public worship at 7:45. Junior League meeting Tuesday afternoon at 3:45. Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The pastor will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening. His theme in the morning will be "Two Ways of Looking at the Cross. The class in "Christian Crusade for World Democracy" will study "The Christian Mastery of the Pacific" at 6 p.m., and the Epworthians invite visitors to be present. At 7:45 the pastor will preach on "Spiritual Daring," and illustrate the subject by a brief story of a wonderful life.

First Baptist Church. A. Watson Brown, minister. Second street near College. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; H. L. Healy, superintendent. Morning service at 11, including children's service. Small children will be cared for in the nursery. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30, studying Fosdick's "Manhood of the Master," under the leadership of Forrest Manning. Evening preaching service at 7:45. Wednesday evening service: Bible study at 7; prayer meeting at 7:45.

The morning service will be of a special nature in preparation for the pre-Easter campaign. The pastor will speak on "The Call to the Colors." The visiting teams will be commissioned for their work of canvassing the parish in the afternoon. The Lord's supper will be observed at the close of the service. In the evening the new young people's chorus will give a special selection under the leadership of Mr. Manning. The pastor will preach the fourth sermon in the series on the parable of the Prodigal, the subject being "The Insanity of the World."

Holy Trinity Episcopal: Corner Badillo and Third. Rev. L. M. Idleman, rector. Fifth in Lent (Passion Sunday.) Sunday-school, 9:45. Holy communion and sermon, 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 8, holy communion, 10 a.m.; Wednesday, April 9, evensong and address, 4 p.m. Thursday, April 10, holy communion, 7:30 a.m. Friday, April 11, Litany and confirmation lecture, 4 p.m. All are welcome.

Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church: Rev. H. O. Michel, pastor. Church Third and Dexter streets. Sunday-school 9:15 a.m.; morning service 10:30.

Presbyterian Church: Rev. Chauncey A. Foreman, pastor. Italia and Second streets. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Chas. A. Hale, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Junior C. E., 4 p.m.; C. E. Society, 6:45; evening service, 7:45; midweek service, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

Morning, communion service and reception of new members. Evening, "The Kind of Man That Prays."

Christian Church: J. W. Utter, pastor. Park street and San Bernardino road. Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m.; Tom Johnson, superintendent; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; C. E., 6 p.m.; evening sermon, 7:45; midweek services, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist: Church edifice, Center and Third St. Sunday-school, 9:45. Morning service, 11. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8. Reading room, 132 West Badillo street, open from 2 to 4:30. The public is cordially invited to the services and to the reading room.

Subject for April 6, "Unreality."

Church of the Brethren: George F. Chomberlen, elder in charge. Third and Puente streets. Sunday-school, 10 a.m.; morning sermon, 11 a.m.; Christian Workers' meeting, 6:45; evening sermon, 7:30 p.m.; mid-week services on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Church of the Sacred Heart (Catholic): Father M. H. Geary, pastor. Church at Fifth and Center streets. Mass at 8 a.m.

Y. W. C. A. DRIVE NEAR END.

Mrs. C. W. Coman, in charge of the San Gabriel valley drive for Y. W. C. A. funds for state and county work, reports that the quota of $150 is not yet reached, but that the time has been extended a few days. It would be a great pity if Covina, having gone so splendidly "over the top" in every patriotic and philanthropic drive, should fall down on this, which really concerns vitally our own girls who may go to the city for study or work. If you have not already helped in this good work, please phone Mrs. Coman for information or mail her a check. But please do something quick!

LOCAL NEWS.

Family Celebrates Soldier's Return—

A family reunion at which some thirty odd were seated to a bounteous turkey dinner was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Pannier in Anaheim, celebrating the return of their son, Milton, with the 55th ammunition train. There were present Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hassheider, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer F. Gloege and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Nigg and family and Mr. Henry Hassheider of Covina, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Weise and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nigg and little son of Long Beach, Mrs. Reed and children and Miss Lydia Hassheider of Los Angeles.

Birthday Surprise For Miss Groover—

Miss Neva Groover was surprised Wednesday evening when eighteen of her friends gathered at her home, West Cypress avenue, to celebrate her birthday. There were several musicians in the party who gave impromptu numbers, and a dainty supper followed. Cherokee roses and orange blossoms were used in decoration. Miss Groover was presented with a beautiful watch by her friends.

House-Party of Teachers at Laguna Beach—

A party of school teachers enjoyed an outing over last week-end. They hiked from Balboa Beach to Laguna, where they spent the night as guests of Miss Mary Brunson in her cottage there. In the party were Misses Rose Nigg, Mabel Houser, Fern Cavanaugh, Gladys Sharpe, Dorothy Taylor, Ethel Hostetter, Dorothy Dukes, Mary Brunson, and Miss Lillian Brunson of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Josiah Letchworth entertained at dinner on Saturday evening of last week at her home on West Center street. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Letchworth, Miss Harriett Winslow, the Misses Ruth Watson, Lucinda Beatty, Genevieve Matthews, and Edson and Pryor Letchworth. After the dinner the party had a loge at the Star theater.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Potter, Miss Hazel Potter and Harold Potter spent last Sunday in Los Angeles as the guests of Mr. Potter's cousins, Mrs. Congdon and Mrs. Koeberle.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Knudtson of W. Puente street have as house guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Sim Mason of North Dakota, who are wintering in Long Beach.

Mr. W. P. Nye returned Tuesday evening from a six weeks' trip to the east, during which he visited Washington, New York and Philadelphia, and also West Point, where his son, Wilbur P. Nye, is now a cadet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Griset of Azusa avenue are entertaining this week their niece, Miss Irene Jaques, a teacher in the schools of Santa Ana.

Henry F. Brown was at home from Berkeley over the week-end, called here by the death of his grandfather, Dr. B. Price of South Pasadena.

Mr. C. E. Blackman of East Center street, who has been confined to his home with illness for a week, is now convalescing.

Word was received this week by Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Worley of Orange avenue of the serious illness with pneumonia of their niece, Miss Ethel Collins, of Bakersfield. Miss Collins was for several years until about four years ago a teacher in the grammar schools of Covina. At the time the latest news was received Miss Collins was recovering.

SOCIAL DANCE.

A social dance will be held in the West Covina club-house, Saturday evening, April 12. City orchestra. Refreshments. Good time assured. Everybody welcomed. 1t

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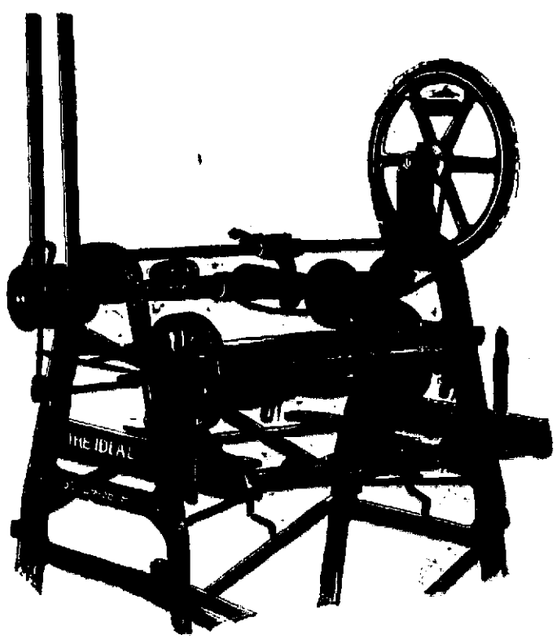

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